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TRANSMITTAL LETTER	U.S. APPLICATION NO. (If known, see 37 CFR 1.5)								
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CONCERNING A FILIN	EXPRESS MAIL LABEL NO.								
INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO.	INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE	PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED							
PCT/DE2004/000978	May, 11, 2004	June 23, 2003							
TITLE OF INVENTION CAPACITATIVE BIOSENSOR ELEMENT AND METHOD FOR DETECTING HYBRIDIZATION EVENTS									
APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US Hans-Christian HANKE, Christian PAULUS, Meinrad SCHIENLE, and Roland THEWES									
Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:									
1. This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.									
2. This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.									
3. This express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)) at any time rather than delay									
examination until the expiration of the applicable time limit set in 35 U.S.C. 371(b) and PCT Articles 22 and 39 (1).									
4. The US has been elected by the expiration of 19 months from the priority date (Article 31).									
5. A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2))									
a. is transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau). WO 2005/001479A1									
b. has been transmitted by the International Bureau.									
c. is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).									
6. An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)).									
a. is transmitted herewith.	red under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4)								
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d. A have not been made; nowever, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.									
8. An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).									
9. An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)).									
10. An English language translation of the annexes of the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).									
Items 11. to 20. below concern document	t(s) or information included:								
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11. An Information Disclosure Statem PTO Form 1449 listing seven (7) refs., enc	ent under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98-1449, Intern losing four (4), and German Office Action	national Search Report (PCT/ISA/210) and							
12. An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.									
13. A FIRST preliminary amendment.									
14. A SECOND or SUBSEQUENT preliminary amendment.									
15. A substitute specification.									
16. A change of power of attorney and/or address letter.									
17. A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 35 U.S.C. 1.821-1.825.									
18. A second copy of the published international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).									
19. A second copy of the English language translation of the international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).									
20. \(\sum \) Other items or information: 1) For German Office Action	mal Drawings (8 sheet), 2) PCT Forms (PCT	/ISA/237 in German & English), 3)							
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21. The following fees are submitted:					CAL	CULATIONS	PTO USE ONLY	
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Fee Code De	escription escription		<u>Fee</u>					
1631 Basic National Stage Fee\$300.00								
1632 National Stage Search Fee\$400.00 (Search report prepared and provided to USPTO)								
1633 National Stage Examination Fee\$200.00								
ENTER APPROPRIATE FEE AMOUNT =					\$	900.00		
Surcharge of \$130.00 for furnishing the oath or declaration later than 20 Months from the earliest claimed priority date (37 CFR 1.492(e)).					\$	130.00		
			EXTRA PAGES		<u> </u>			
PAGES	PAGES FILE	D	FILED IN 50 PAGE SEGMENTS	RATE				
Total Pages	50 - 100 =			X 250.00	\$	0.00		
CLAIMS	NUMBER FIL	FD	NUMBER EXTRA	RATE				
Total Claims	18 - 20 =		0	X \$50.00	\$	0.00		
Independent Claims	3 - 3 =		0	X \$200.00	\$	0.00		
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM(S) (if applicable) 0 + \$360.00				+ \$360.00	\$	0.00		
TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS =					\$	1030.00		
Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. The fees indicated above are reduced by 1/2.					\$			
SUBTOTAL =					\$	1030.00		
Processing fee of \$130.00 for furnishing the English translation later than \[\sum 20 \] Months from the earliest claimed priority date (37 CFR 1.492(f)).					\$	0.00		
TOTAL NATIONAL FEE =					\$	1030.00		
Fee for recording the enclosed assignment (37 CFR 1.21(h)). The assignment must be accompanied by an appropriate cover sheet (37 CFR 3.28, 3.31). \$40.00 per property +					\$	0.00		
TOTAL FEES ENCLOSED =					\$	1030.00		
					4	Amount to be: refunded	\$	
						charged	\$	
a. A check in the amount of \$1030.00 to cover the above fees is enclosed.								
b. Please charge my Deposit Account. No. 08-0750 in the amount of \$ to cover the above fees. A triplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.								
c. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. <u>08-0750</u> .								
NOTE: Where an appropriate time limit under 37 CFR 1.494 or 1.495 has not been met, a petition to revive (37 CFR 1.137(a) or (b)) must be filed and granted to restore the application to pending status.								
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